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Serial No.: 10/632,030  
Filed: July 31, 2003  
For: Production process for catalyst  
Examiner: NGUYEN, Cam N.  
Group No.: 1754  
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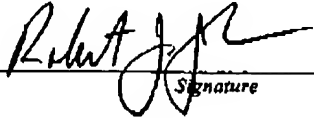
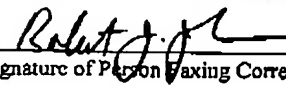
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Amendment and Remarks--Introduction

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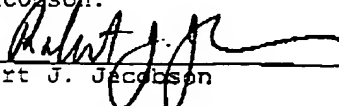
Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of  
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